



U.S. Naval Ship Repair Facility and Japan Regional Maintenance Center Yokosuka and Sasebo, Japan

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Vacancy Announcement # DON0856-OS

POSITION: Electronics Technician (ACDS/DDLS), GS-0856-11/12
SALARY: GS-11: \$46,974 - \$ 61,068 Per Annum
GS-12: \$56,301 - \$73,194 Per Annum

RECRUITMENT, RELOCATION OR RETENTION INCENTIVE: May be authorized. See charts below.

LIVING QUARTERS ALLOWANCE: See charts below.

POST ALLOWANCE: See charts below.

ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCES: See charts below.

LOCATION: Combat Systems Office, C4I Systems Division, SESEF/ACDS/IC Branch (Code 191). Yokosuka, Japan

MAJOR DUTIES:

The incumbent's principal area of responsibility is to provide system and equipment/component technical support services and expertise on a variety of Surface Ship Digital Data Link systems and sub-systems as installed aboard U.S. Navy ships. The incumbent works both independently and with other members of the Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Intelligence (C4I) Division on ensuring shipboard systems and equipment within his/her specialty areas are fully operational. The incumbent performs these services by providing technical oversight, management, troubleshooting advice, research and reviewing technical specifications, identifying parts required for repairs and modernization, identifying required system/equipment upgrades, develops industrial work schedules, and conducting casualty isolation, adjustments and system checkouts. He/she also supports the U.S. Navy ships operating in the 7th Fleet area by responding to and resolving operationally degrading Digital Data Link systems casualties. Initial responses are through distance support via email or voice communications, but if required, the incumbent will travel to meet the ship at sea and other ports to complete troubleshooting and repair efforts. The incumbent also manages industrial repair or modernization work efforts by providing on-site technical direction, progress reports, and resolution of production, performance, on Digital Data Link systems quality deficiencies. Additional duties include serving as Combat Systems Project Manager as a member of a ship's project team during ship's maintenance periods, represents the organization as a Surface Ships Digital Data Link systems specialist by chairing or attending conferences and meetings, interfaces regularly with other DoD technical agencies on Digital Data Link systems related issues, and participates in shipboard systems assessment programs as an Digital Data Link systems inspector/technician.

EVALUATION FACTORS (Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities)

1. Knowledge of Digital Data Link systems and sub-systems as installed aboard U.S. Navy ships.
2. Knowledge of U.S. Navy Surface Ships Digital Data Link systems interfaces with communications and display systems.
3. Knowledge of U.S. Navy specifications, technical manuals, drawings, and regulations pertaining to design, maintenance, installation, safety, and operation of U.S. Navy surface ships data systems.
4. Knowledge troubleshooting and equipment problem resolution techniques.
5. Skill in dealing with people of different ranks and background.
6. Ability to communicate both verbally and in writing.

WHO MAY APPLY: ALL CURRENT FEDERAL EMPLOYEES SERVING UNDER CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS IN THE COMPETITIVE SERVICE; REINSTATEMENT ELIGIBLES, VEOA ELIGIBLES. AND ICTAP WORLDWIDE.

HOW TO APPLY: To apply for this job announcement, you must submit your resume to HRSC Pacific, Honolulu, Hawaii via the following link (Note: you must login to your CHART account first):

HYPERLINK: <https://www.donhr.navy.mil>

1. Click on: Jobs, Jobs, Jobs
2. Click on: Jobs, Jobs, Jobs
3. Click on Search for Jobs
4. Answer the three questions and then click Continue.
5. Under the Announcement Number box, enter DON0856-OS and click Search.
6. Follow the instructions in the How to Apply section.

New CHART application procedures are available on the following link:

HYPERLINK: <http://hro.cnj.navy.mil>

Click on: Hot Items

Please refer your questions to the DON Resume Intake and Employment Information Center in San Diego, CA. Their office hours are Monday through Friday, 0600 to 1800 hours Pacific Time. Preferred method of contact is use of the "Contact the Webmaster" link at <https://chart.donhr.navy.mil>. For those without access to the internet, the following phone numbers are available: 1-800-378-4559 or DSN 245-5733.

NOTES:

1. Initial tour of duty is 36 months.
2. Pay retention will be granted to all applicants recruited overseas who accept a downgrade when there is no step in the lower grade that equals or exceeds their current basic rate of pay.
3. Recruitment, Relocation, or Retention Incentive (up to 25% of base salary) may be authorized.
4. Benefits and allowances afforded in the foreign area are administered by the Department of State and are subject to change at anytime without advance notice.
5. Military Spouse Preference eligibles will lose their preference upon acceptance or declination of a job offer.
6. Selectees who currently reside outside the foreign area may be eligible for foreign allowances (as applicable in accordance with the DSSR), transportation agreement and payment of travel expenses (in accordance with the Joint Travel Regulations Vol II).
7. Locality pay does not apply in the overseas areas. Locality rate of pay will not be used for pay setting when transferring to the foreign area.
8. Selectee may be required to complete a one-year Supervisory or Managerial Probationary period.
9. Full performance level of this position is GS-12.
10. This is an Emergency-Essential position. In the event of a crisis situation of war, the incumbent must continue to perform assigned duties to support mission requirements until relieved by proper authority.
11. Selectee may be required to successfully complete a probationary period.
12. Must have or be able to obtain and maintain a Secret Security Clearance as a condition of employment. Failure to obtain and maintain the required level of clearance may result in the withdrawal of a position offer or removal. If you possess a security clearance, please indicate the level and termination date in your resume.
13. This position is subject to the five year overseas rotation policy.
14. Household goods up to 18,000 may be shipped at no cost to the selectee. Fees for Non-temporary storage for household good left in the United States will paid by SRF-JRMC
15. For more information on living and working conditions in Japan go to <http://hro.cnj.navy.mil/lwcondition/index.htm>.

GS-12 (Other than Information Technology or Professional Engineer)

SALARY AND ALLOWANCES PAID IN YOKOSUKA, JAPAN

Note: The following is provided as basic information only. Living Quarters Allowance and Post Allowance are subject to change without notice. Amounts shown are in U.S. dollars.

RECRUITMENT, RELOCATION OR RETENTION INCENTIVES

STEP	SALARY	UP TO 25% OF BASIC PAY	NOTE: One of the Incentives may be paid to a selectee who meets the applicable criteria below:
10	73,194	18,299	1. Up to 25% Recruitment Incentive may be paid to a selectee who had not been previously employed by the Federal Civil Service or to a former Federal employee with at least a year break in service. This is a one-time lump sum payment.
9	71,317	17,829	
8	69,440	17,360	
7	67,563	16,891	
6	65,686	16,422	2. In addition to the Recruitment Incentive, pay may be set above the first step based on the selectee's superior qualifications.
5	63,809	15,952	
4	61,932	15,483	3. Up to 25% Relocation Incentive may be paid to a selectee who is a current Federal Civil Service employee in a different commuting area. This is a one-time lump sum payment.
3	60,055	15,014	
2	58,178	14,545	4. Up to 25% Retention Incentive may be paid to a current SRF-JRMC employee with one or more years of continuous service. This may be a one-time lump sum payment or may be paid over 26 payperiods.
1	56,301	14,075	

LIVING QUARTERS ALLOWANCE (LQA)

LQA is a quarters allowance granted to an employee for the annual cost of suitable, adequate, living quarters for the employee and his/her family. LQA includes rent, utilities, rental of garage space, separate rental of furniture, agent's fee, and landlord appreciation fee. The amount of LQA granted depends on family size.

NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS	WOF	W 1 DEP	W 2/3 DEP	W 4/5 DEP	W 6+ DEP
AMOUNT	34,700	40,300	44,330	48,360	52,390

POST ALLOWANCE (PAL) - based on average 30% post classification

PAL is a cost of living allowance granted to an employee officially stationed at a post in a foreign area where the cost of living, exclusive of quarters costs, is substantially higher than in Washington, D.C. The amount of PAL granted depends on the salary and family size. PAL is not taxed.

SALARY RANGE	WOF	W 1 DEP	W 2 DEP	W 3 DEP	W 4 DEP	W 5+ DEP
71,000 - 74,999	8,160	9,150	10,170	10,680	11,700	12,210
67,000 - 70,999	7,890	8,850	9,840	10,350	11,310	11,820
63,000 - 66,999	7,590	8,550	9,510	9,960	10,920	11,400
59,000 - 62,999	7,320	8,220	9,120	9,600	10,500	10,950
55,000 - 58,999	7,020	7,890	8,760	9,210	10,080	10,500

ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCES

- FOREIGN TRANSFER ALLOWANCE** - up to 10 days temporary lodging, meals, and laundry prior to departing CONUS.
- MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE ALLOWANCE** - a flat rate of \$500.00 for without family or \$1,000.00 for with family.
- TEMPORARY QUARTERS SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE** - up to 90 days temporary lodging, meal, and laundry in Yokosuka.

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10	61,068	61,068	1. Up to 25% Recruitment Incentive may be paid to a selectee who had not been previously employed by the Federal Civil Service or to a former Federal employee with at least a year break in service. This is a one-time lump sum payment.
9	59,502	59,502	
8	57,936	57,936	
7	56,370	56,370	2. In addition to the Recruitment Incentive, pay may be set above the first step based on the selectee's superior qualifications.
6	54,804	54,804	
5	53,238	53,238	
4	51,672	51,672	3. Up to 25% Relocation Incentive may be paid to a selectee who is a current Federal Civil Service employee in a different commuting area. This is a one-time lump sum payment.
3	50,106	50,106	
2	48,540	48,540	
1	46,974	46,974	4. Up to 25% Retention Incentive may be paid to a current SRF-JRMC employee with one or more years of continuous service. This may be a one-time lump sum payment or may be paid over 26 payperiods.

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55,000 - 58,999	7,020	7,890	8,760	9,210	10,080	10,500
51,000 - 54,999	6,690	7,530	8,370	8,790	9,630	10,050
48,000 - 50,999	6,420	7,230	8,040	8,430	9,240	9,630
45,000 - 47,999	6,180	6,960	7,710	8,100	8,880	9,270

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